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AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 6, at line 3 through page 7, line 1, as follows:

To accomplish the above object, an ink jet recording head cartridge of the present invention has:

a liquid container for retaining a liquid;

a discharge circuit section which comprises a supply port for receiving the liquid in the liquid container, a nozzle in communication with the supply port, and a discharge energy generating element, provided in the nozzle, for discharging the liquid; and

a flow path for leading the liquid from the liquid container to the discharge circuit section;

wherein the flow path comprises a vertical portion extending from a portion connecting to the ink container, and a horizontal portion connecting to a lower end of the vertical portion and connecting to the supply port of the discharge circuit section;

a throttle portion whose width becomes narrower in a supply direction of the liquid is formed in a portion, which connects to the vertical portion, of the horizontal portion of the flow path; and

a groove shaped flow path whose width is narrower than the total width of the flow path is ~~sequentially~~ contiguously formed on an inner wall of the flow path from a portion connecting to the liquid container to a portion connecting to the discharge circuit section.